

Mines of the County

Lew Souther, one of the old time superintendents of the Gold Road mines, is in Kingman. Mr. Souther has been looking over the mines of the Parker country the past year, but is now again located in the Gold Road section.

Work on the recent strike of ore in the Chem. huevis mountains continues to show considerable rich ore. The vein is widening and the pay streak continues to hold its strength. The veins in the surrounding country are also developing to some extent.

R. L. Dimmick is getting things in shape to begin active work on the mines of the Frisco Gold mines company. One of the properties that has had little attention is said to be one of the best in the camp, and it is on this vein that the work now mapped out will be done.

"A great mine," is the general expression of miners when asked about the Copper Giant. And there is no doubt that this mine will be one of the biggest properties in the north part of the state, outside of the United Verde proper. It is the United Verde that is now operating the Copper Giant, William Neagle being in charge.

The work below the 200 level of the Arabian Con. Mines company is said to be showing an excellent quality of milling ore. This big vein is said to carry the highest average value of ore of any mine in the county, when the vein width is taken into consideration. The Gold Road and Tom Reed have wonderful bodies of ore of a higher grade, but not as extensive as the crosscuts show the Arabian to be. The compressor is now in commission and the machine drills are driving work as fast as possible.

Owing to the big truck of the Union Basin Mining company being out of commission the past week ore shipments from that property are very light. It is expected that as soon as the truck is again in commission it will be able to deliver two cars of rich zinc at the railroad daily. The mine is showing a great tonnage of exceptionally good ore. The recent increase in the market price of the metal will bring the company about 6,000\$ in additional profits monthly.

George W. Mark and associates, of St. Louis, have taken a bond on the Oro Plata mine and intend to commence watering the property within the next few weeks. Mr. Mark accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Emig, were in Kingman the past several days getting the papers for the transfer fixed up. The Oro Plata is one of the best of the old gold producers of the Wallapai district and it is sure to again become a large producer when properly opened. The main shaft has reached a depth of but 230 feet, yet above that level it has produced more than half a million dollars in gold and silver.

Chris Vogt came in from his copper mines in the Wauba Yuma district. The big vein on which he has been at work was known in the early sixties as the Pride of the Pines, being high up on the west slope of the Wallapai mountains. It has a history that tells of the slaughter of its early owners by the Wallapai Indians, the deaths occurring near Boulder Springs, about five miles south of Kingman. Mr. Vogt and associates have been at work on the veins the past six months and has opened up great bodies of ore. One vein shows ten feet of good grade copper, values in gold and silver also being present. A drift has been run about 200 feet on the vein and through a very good grade of milling ore. All of the ore carries gold, silver and copper. The mines lie to the east of town, in the edge of the pines.

Last Tuesday the Tom Reed messenger brought in from the Tom Reed Gold mines four bars of bullion that weighed a few dollars less than 100,000\$. This was the result of the clean-up for August. During the month the management of the mill has been experimenting with a new cyaniding method, by which a large saving of cyanide is effected, although the bullion is not quite so clean as in the other process. Experiments along the line of cyanide economy have been tried in all the big mills, but so far only a small measure of success has been attained. With cyanide growing in price there is now an excellent reason back of an effort to observe the strictest economy in its use. But there will be no shutting down of mills owing to the lack of cyanide, as the American plants are now making a quantity sufficient to supply all the needs of the gold mills.

W. L. Kayser has purchased a ranch in the Williamson valley and also a residence in Prescott, where he is now residing.

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Tom McNeely came over from Mineral Park a few days ago and is resting up at his home. He reports driving a tunnel on one of his mining claims at the Park, but has not yet reached the ore body. He is the owner of several big veins in the lower part of the basin, along the big porphyry up-lift.

Last Thursday morning the big Mack truck of Chris Hoffman had a close call to being destroyed by fire. While he was filling the tanks with gasoline there was an explosion from some unexplained cause and in an instant the whole car was ablaze. The flaming fluid was thrown over Mr. Hoffman and he had to roll in the earth to quench the flames. He was only slightly burned and was soon working on the flames in an effort to save the chassis. Only the woodwork was burned, but this put the car out of commission and it will be a week or more before the damage can be repaired. The loss is estimated at about 300\$. The truck is used in carrying mail and freight and passengers to the Big Sandy country, and is rated as a three-ton truck.

Last Wednesday George W. Ayers came in from Goldroad with the clean-up of the Goldroad mill for the week, which weighed 20,000\$. The mill is now doing splendid work and the mines are all making an output sufficient to keep the stamps dropping continually.

Mrs. Mary E. Cohenour departed this week to Iowa, where she will visit with relatives.

Advertised Letters.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the Postoffice at Kingman, Ariz., for the week ending Sept. 12, 1914. If not called for within two weeks will be sent to the Dead Letter office, Washington, D. C.

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Santa Fe agent G. F. Gaither has just been advised that hereafter Kingman people will be able to secure Pullman reservations, and that tickets will be sold here, obviating the necessity of wiring Los Angeles or any other point on the subject. He has worked the past year to secure this service for the traveling public out of Kingman and is much pleased with his success.

John W. Ward, Irwin W. Blakely and Milton Chapman made proof of their homestead entries on the Big Sandy, before Commissioner Anson H. Smith, yesterday. These gentlemen have been farming on the Big Sandy a number of years and have the best improved ranches in that country. The lands are all under ditch and for years have been productive.

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Jesse T. Wallace, who is developing a large acreage of farming lands at Hackberry, came down from that place yesterday to attend to business affairs.

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